Numb. XCVIII.

THE Pennſylvania GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices Foreign and Domeſtick.

From Thurſday, September 24. to Thurſday, October 1. 1730.

The SPEECH of His Excellency *Jonathan Belcher*, Eſq;

Captain General and Governor in Chief, in and over His Majeſty's Province of the *Maſſachuſets-Bay* in *New-England*, &c.

To the General Aſſembly of the ſaid Province, met at *Cambridge*, on *Wedneſday Sept.* 9, 1730.

Gentlemen of the Council *and Houſe of Repreſentatives*,

IT is with Gratitude to Almighty God, That I now mention to you my ſafe Return from Great Britain, after a long Abſence, and a dangerous Voyage.

His Majeſty's Commiſſion publiſh'd at my Arrival, told you of the King's having appointed me his Governor of his Province of the Maſſachuſets-Bay; in Conſequence whereof I now ſee you with Pleaſure, convened in General Aſſembly (I doubt not) to purſue thoſe Meaſures, which may moſt of all conduce to his Majeſty's Service and Intereſt, and the Proſperity of this Country.

The firſt Thing I would recommend to you is a Regard to Virtue and true Religion, for which New-England has (a long Time) had the Honour to be diſtinguiſhed; and from his Majeſty's pious Care of his People here, he has commanded me, not only to ſee a ſtrict Execution of the Laws now in Force againſt Immorality and Impiety, but that I commend to your Conſideration the Enacting ſuch others as may beſt promote and incourage our moſt Holy Religion; and I wiſh every Thing of this kind may be always brought forward and debated with a true Catholick Chriſtian Spirit.

It is one of the ſhining Graces of his Majeſty's Reign, That Diſſenters of all Denominations in Great Britain, enjoy the Toleration in its full Eaſe and Extent; and it ſhould be your Care to imitate the Royal Indulgence of our gracious Sovereign, that none of our Laws may carry in them a Spirit of Rigour or Severity to thoſe who may conſcientiouſly differ from us in the Modes of divine Worſhip. We, I ſay, of all his Majeſty's Subjects, ought as much as poſſible to Steer clear of this, ſince our Anceſtors, (but in the laſt Century) left their Native Country, as not able to comply with any Impoſitions on their Conſcience or indure the Hardſhips of not doing it. And I can't paſs from this Article without putting you in Mind of the Happineſs peculiar to this Province in the early Care our Fathers took for a liberal and pious Education of their Poſterity, I mean the founding of a College at Cambridge: And I do aſſure you, I ſhall gladly embrace every Opportunity you'll put in my Power of nouriſhing that Seminary of Religion and Learning.

GENTLEMEN,

The King's placing me at the Head of his Government here, taken in all Circumſtances of it (without aſſuming any perſonal Merit to myſelf) is ſuch an Inſtance of his Majeſty's Grace and Favour to his People, as I want Words to expreſs: But if it produces from you that Duty, Loyalty and Gratitude juſtly due to ſo gracious a Prince, I ſhall think it a good Omen of the laſting Tranquility of New-England. The Honour of the Crown and the Intereſt of Great Britain, are (doubtleſs) very compatible with the Privileges and Liberties of her Plantations; and it being my Duty to Support the former, it will alſo be my Care to Protect the latter. I have it in Command from my Royal Maſter to communicate to you his 27th Inſtruction to me reſpecting the Support of his Governors in this Province for the future. An authentick Copy whereof ſhall be delivered you by the Secretary, and may ſave my repeating it. While I reſided at the Court of Great Britain, I hope you are ſenſible I did every Thing in my Power conſiſtent with Reaſon and Juſtice, for preſerving and lengthning out the Peace and Welfare of this Province; and what Steps have been taken by his Majeſty with reſpect to the unhappy Diſpute betwixt your late Governor and you, you are no Strangers to: And I hope after all the paſt Struggle and Controverſy, you will think it for the true Intereſt of the Province to do in this Matter, what may be perfectly acceptable to his Majeſty. Pleaſing is the Sight! while I behold and ſay, *Ye are my Brethren*; *Ye are my Bones and my Fleſh*; and I have no Intereſt ſeparate from your true and real Intereſt: And on this Head I muſt add in Fidelity to the King my Maſter and to my Country, that from the Honour I had of waiting often on his Majeſty's Miniſters, and from my Acquaintance with the ſeveral Offices through which this Diſpute has paſt, I cannot ſuppoſe any Thing could have prevented this, and many other Matters of dangerous Conſequence to the Province, being laid before the Parliament of Great Britain the laſt Winter; but that his Majeſty in his great Lenity and Goodneſs, was inclined to give you one more Opportunity of paying a due Regard and Deference to what in his Royal Wiſdom he thinks ſo Juſt and Reaſonable: And this I ſay, he has done in the kindeſt Manner, by placing one at the Head of this Govenment here, in whom you yourſelves had placed the Truſt and Confidence of your Affairs. The Fame of Cato's Wiſdom reflected Honour on old Rome, while he made ſo brave a Stand for the Liberty of his Country; but when Caeſar had ſhut him up in his little Unica, and offer'd him Terms of Honour, his murdering himſelf rather than ſubmit to a Power he could no longer rationally reſiſt, has left a laſting Brand of Infamy on the Memory of that great Patriot. This, *Gentlemen*, I mention as ſome Illuſtration of the Diſpute lately ſubſiſting between his Majeſty and his People of this Province. Tho' I by no Means allow it to run Parallel: Caeſar uſurped the Empire and invaded the Commonwealth; but happy, how happy New-England! that lives under the Government of their lawful, rightful Sovereign the beſt of Kings, who aſcended the Throne of his Royal Anceſtors with the univerſal Joy of his Subjects, and while he maintains the Dignity of his Crown with the ſtricteſt Honour, he at the ſame time bounds his Power by the excellent Conſtitution and Laws of his Kingdom, and defends and protects the Liberties of his People with a moſt tender paternal Care. I therefore deſire from the affectionate Regard I have to my native Country, That you would give your moſt calm and deliberate Attention to this Affair, of ſo nice a Conſequence and now brou[ght] to a Criſis.

This Province is generally thought to be the greateſt Mart for all Britiſh Manufactures of any of his Majeſt 's American Dominions, which makes the Trade of it (for a young Plantation) large and Extenſive; and here I am ſorry for the Occaſion of obſerving to you, That notwithſtanding the Laws you now have for regulating ſeveral of your Manufactures, yet Means are found to evade and elude them to the great Detriment and Reproach of the Trade of this Country in General, and to the Juſtification of Complaints from Abroad, whither your Products are Exported: But as nothing can tend more to make you a flouriſhing People than Trade and Commerce, It is certainly well worthy your Conſideration in what beſt Ways and Methods to improve and increaſe it, and I ſhall very chearfully give my Conſent to ſuch Laws as may be further neceſſary to give you a juſt Claim not only to a profitable but an honourable Trade; and I could heartily Wiſh you would join with me, in ſeriouſly conſidering the miſerable State of your Bills of Credit, how much publick Credit has ſunk, and the Value of every Man's Eſtate depreciated by ſome Defects in their Funds, or by the long Periods at which they are ſet: And I can aſſure you the Merchants of Great Britain trading hither are under great Diſcouragements on this Head; let us then if poſſible find out ſome Remedy to the growing Evil of the ſinking Credit of the Bills. Nor muſt I diſmiſs the great Affair of Trade without putting you in mind how exceſſively the Exchange betwixt Great Britain and this Province is riſen in a few Years (from 60 to more than 200 per Cent.) This I ſhould think might in ſome good Meaſure be brought to rights by the Government giving the greateſt Encouragement to the Husbandry in every Branch of it, and to the Raiſing all other Products peculiar to the Climate; for the more you can raiſe and export, the leſs will be the Balance to your prejudice Abroad, and ſo your Exchange be neceſſarily reduced; and you could in nothing more recommend your ſelves to the Favour of the Crown and the good Will of the Mother Kingdom, or more ſerve your own Intereſt than to promote the raiſing large Quantities of Hemp, Flax, and all other naval Stores.

GENTLEMEN,

By the Proclamation I have lately iſſued, you ſee his Majeſty's great Wiſdom and ſteady Reſolution, has produced an honourable and advantageous Peace with Spain, the ſweet Fruits whereof we ſhall of Courſe taſte in theſe Parts of his Dominions; yet I muſt caution you againſt too great Security, or neglecting the Fortifications of the Province, of which I ſhall order a careful Survey, and the State of them to be laid before you, that proper Proviſion may be made for putting them into the beſt Order, for the Support of his Majeſty's Honour, and our own Safety, in caſe of an unexpected Rupture with any of the Crowns of Europe.

I have with great Satisfaction look'd on the Way and Method the Government is now in for keeping Peace and Friendſhip with the Indians on our Frontiers. Duty to the King, and love to my Country, will carry me into every reaſonable Way to ſtrengthen the good Underſtanding we have with thoſe People at preſent; and as Intereſt ſways Mankind in general, ſo you may bore their Ears to your Door Poſts, by ſtill eaſing them all you can in the Truck Trade; and you may depend on the ſtricteſt Orders to all my Officers, to prevent as much as poſſible their being made Mad from time to time with ſtrong Drink, of which we have ſeen the fatal Conſequences.

GENTLEMEN,

The Surveyor General of his Majeſty's Woods has been complaining to me of the Hardſhips he meets in this Government in the Courſe of his Duty to the King, by whom I am commanded to take the moſt effectual Care in my Power, that there be a ſtrict Obſervance of all the Acts of Parliament made to prevent the Deſtruction of the Royal Woods, and to be aiding and aſſiſting to his Majeſty's Surveyor by myſelf, and all Officers under me, that all Offenders on this Score may be duly and juſtly puniſh'd. And as I am ſure it will be taken for a Mark of your Duty and Reſpect to the King, ſo I hope I may depend on your Readineſs to enact ſuch Laws as may be ſtill thought neceſſary for the Preſervation of the Nurſery Royal of Maſts.

I am glad to tell you the tender Care the King has for all his Subjects, has produced to me his Royal Inſtruction with reſpect to the Boundaries of this Province and New Hampſhire; and it is ſo wiſely calculated, that being put in Practice, I hope it will bring this long and unhappy Diſpute to an amicable Adjuſtment, and to the entire Satisfaction of both Provinces, and this Inſtruction ſhall be delivered you.

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Repreſentatives.

As it is more eſpecially your Buſineſs to look into the State of the publick Revenue, the Accounts from the laſt Time you had them ſhall be duly laid before you, with the proper Eſtimate of the Charge of the current Year; and your repeated Profeſſions of Loyalty and Obedience to the King, leave no doubt with me, but that you will make ample Proviſion for the Support of the Honour and Dignity of his Majeſty's Government, and for the Eaſe and Welfare of his People.

Gentlemen of the Council and Houſe of Repreſentatives.

Had it not been my Happineſs to be born among you, perhaps my firſt Speech from the Chair had been confin'd to a much leſs Compaſs, but as I am no Stranger to the Conſtitution and Circumſtances of my own Country, ſo the Welfare and Proſperity of it, lies near my Heart, and has led me to mention ſo many Things to your Conſideration as eſſential thereunto. I am ſenſible it is now not only a Seaſon which requires many of you to attend your Trade and Husbandry, but the Diſtemper may be ſtill thought too near and hazardous and ſo make you uneaſy; I have therefore to commend to you Harmony and Unanimity among your ſelves, in all your Proceedings, for the better Diſpatch; and if it be pleaſing to you, it will be ſo to me, that you go thro' what may be of abſolute Neceſſity, and refer other Things to the next Time of your Meeting You ſhall always have my hearty Concurrence in every Thing that may be for the King's Honour and Service and the ſubſtantial Happineſs of this Province.

Cambridge, Sept. 9. 1730. *J. BELCHER.*

To His Excellency Jonathan Belcher, *Eſq; Captain General and Governor in Chief, in and over His Majeſty's Province of the* Maſſachuſetts-Bay, *in* New-England, *&c.*

The Congratulatory *Addreſs* of His Majeſty's Council of the ſaid Province.

May it pleaſe your Excellency,

WE His Majeſty's Council of the Province of the *Maſſachuſetts-Bay*, in General Court aſſembled, do rejoice to take this firſt Opportunity to Congratulate your Excellency's ſafe Arrival after a dangerous Voyage to this your native Country.

And we do with all Thankfulneſs acknowledge the Wiſdom and Goodneſs of divine Providence, inclining the Heart of our moſt gracious Sovereign, to appoint your Excellency Governor over us; one ſo nearly related to and concerned for the true Intereſt and Welfare of this People, and to whom our civil and religious Rights and Privileges are ſo very dear.

As we ſincerely wiſh your Excellency all Eaſe and Happineſs in your Government over this Province, ſo your Excellency's great Knowledge and Skill in our publick Affairs, and your Intereſt therein, gives us the pleaſing Proſpect of all Good and Comfort under your wiſe and mild Adminiſtration.

And we do aſſure your Excellency, that we his Majeſty's loyal and dutiful Subjects the Council of this Province, will at all Times to the utmoſt of our Ability, aſſiſt your Excellency with our beſt Advice; and do offer up our ſincere and fervent Prayers to Almighty God, that your Excellency may ſtill continue in

in and enjoy more of the Royal Favour, and long Rule over a loyal and dutiful People.

In the Name and by Order
Sept. 10. *of the Council,*
1730. J. Willard, *Secr.*

His Excellency's Anſwer.

Gentlemen,

AS the ſteady Loyalty and Duty of his Majeſty's Council of this Province to our gracious Sovereign ſets them in the beſt Light with the King and his Miniſters, ſo it claims from me all that Regard and Honour due to you in the Station your King and Country have ſet you.

I thank you very kindly for all the Reſpect and Affection you expreſs in your Congratulating my ſafe Arrival to the Government; and for the Aſſurances you give me of your beſt Aſſiſtance in my Adminiſtration.

As it is my Duty and Inclination, ſo nothing in my Power ſhall be wanting to ſupport his Majeſty's Honour and Intereſt in this his Government. And this I look upon as one of the beſt ways of promoting the Proſperity of this People; and my ardent Love to my native Country can leave you no room to doubt with how much Pleaſure and Satisfaction I could employ my whole Life in its Service.

J. BELCHER.

To His Excellency Jonathan Belcher, *Eſq*; *Captain General and Commander in Chief in and over His Majeſty's Province of the* Maſſachuſetts Bay, *in* New-England, *&c.*

The *Addreſs* of the Honourable Houſe of Repreſentatives to His Excellency.

May it pleaſe your Excellency.

WE His Majeſty's moſt loyal and dutiful Subjects, the Repreſentatives of the Province of the *Maſſachuſets-Bay*, convened in General Aſſembly, moſt ſincerely and heartily Congratulate your ſafe Arrival among us in the exalted Station of his Majeſty's Governor.

We receive with the higheſt Thankfulneſs, the divine Favour that inclined the Heart of our moſt gracious Sovereign to appoint the ſame Perſon to repreſent his Majeſty here, whom the People had *confided* in as their beſt Patriot, to repreſent and act for them; a ſure and engaging Evidence, that his ſacred Majeſty has no other Deſign in the Uſe of his Prerogative, than to promote the real Intereſt and Welfare of his Subjects.

We obſerve with great Pleaſure and ſincere Gratitude in your Excellency's firſt Speech from the Chair, your full Knowledge of our Affairs, and tender Concern for our civil and religious Welfare; and we hope your Excellency will always find this Houſe heartily diſpoſed to join in promoting your great and good Deſigns for this People.

We reflect with intire Satisfaction and look upon it as a happy Omen of our future Proſperity, that while you have ſo early and conſtantly given the moſt ſure and diſtinguiſhing Marks of your firm Attachment and Zeal for his Majeſty, and the Auguſt Houſe of *Hanover*, you have been as ſteady in your Love and Concern for the Welfare and Happineſs of your native Country.

That your Excellency may be long continued a rich Bleſſing at the Head of this Province, as you have always been an Ornament and Honour to it, and that your Adminiſtration may be ever eaſy and happy, is, and ſhall be our unfeigned Prayer and conſtant Endeavour.

In the Name and by Order of the Houſe,
In the Houſe of Repreſentatives, J. Quincy, *Speaker.*
Sept. 10, 1730.

His Excellency's Anſwer.

Gentlemen,

I Muſt always aſſure you, that your Loyalty and Obedience to the King, and your Affection and Duty to his Royal Houſe, will lay the beſt Foundation for the Proſperity of your Country, in the Continuance of your religious and civil Liberties. I thank you very heartily for the Pleaſure and Satisfaction you expreſs upon the Favour and Honour his Majeſty has done me, in appointing me the immediate Repreſentative of his Royal Perſon in his Government of this Province.

As ſoon as I was able to make Obſervations in the World, the Settlement of the Crown by the Immortal King William, *in the Illuſtrious Houſe of* Brunſwick, *gave me ſuch a pleaſing Proſpect of Security and Happineſs to the whole Proteſtant World, and to* Great Britain *and her Dominions in particular, as carry'd me once and again to the Court of* Hanover *to pay my Vows of Duty and Affection to the preſent Royal Family. And as it will now be my firſt Care to maintain the Honour and Dignity of the King my Maſter, ſo you may aſſure yourſelves the* Royal Charter *which you enjoy by the King's Grace and Favour, ſhall be a conſtant Rule in my Adminiſtration; and the Love I bear to my dear native Country muſt give you the firmeſt Security of my Readineſs and Alacrity to do every Thing in my Power, that the Privileges and Properties of this People may be handed down to their lateſt Poſterity.*

Sept. 11, 1730. J. BELCHER.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

ROME, July 1.

AFTER the Election of Cardinal Corodini had miſcarried, divers Cardinals pray'd Cardinal Barberini to ſuffer himſelf to be propoſed; but his Eminence anſwered, That he would not conſent thereto till he ſaw in his Cell Votes ſufficient to ſecure his Election. Cardinal Borgheſe has wrote to the Princeſs his Mother, that he expected ſuddenly to come out of the Conclave; and it is ſaid Cardinal Orighi has wrote the ſame thing to his Relations, adding, that the Pope was already elec-

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ted in Petto, was one of the moſt worthy Subjects of the ſacred College, and that he would be declared after they had accommodated certain Difficulties, which were on the Point of being terminated: However, many doubt this, becauſe the Party for Cardinal Corodini is ſtill very numerous, and that no Pope can be elected without his Concurrence, or that Means can be found to diſunite his Intereſt.

RATISBON, July 12. The Imperial Envoys here give out, that the 5 aſſociated Circles have already reſolved to ſend into the Field 120,000 Men, for the Defence of the Empire, if it is attacked.

LONDON, July 10. 'Tis written from Moſcow, in Letters which came by the laſt Holland Mail, that Prince Dolgorucki, who was lately baniſhed into Siberia, had been ſhot by his own Son, in a Quarrel which aroſe about the Cauſe of their Misfortunes.

Cuſtom-Houſe, New-York, Sept. 28. *Inward Entries.*

Young from Curacoa, Meeker from Rhode-Iſland.

Entred outwards, Young for Curacoa.

Cleared out, Saunders and Simmons to Boſton, Penniſton to Barbadoes, Reading to Briſtol.

Port Burlington in Weſt-Jerſey, Sept. 6. *Cleared out.*

Sloop Seahorſe, St. George Tucker, to Barbadoes.

PHILADELPHIA, *October* 1.

By the Poſt this Week we have the following more particular Account of the Veſſels that went aſhore in the late Hurricane at Barbadoes, on the 16th of Auguſt laſt.

A Snow belonging to Liverpool, James Read, Maſter; 115 Hogſheads of Sugar on board; Veſſel and Cargo loſt.

A Brigantine belonging to Virginia, Hugh Tringle Maſter; Cargo 50 Hogſheads Rum, Veſſel and Cargo loſt.

A Scooner belonging to Ireland, James Ferguſon, Maſter; no Cargo, Veſſel loſt.

A Brigantine belonging to Philadelphia, ------ Bowling Maſter, 30 Hogſheads Rum; Cargo ſaved, Veſſel loſt.

A Sloop, Edward Nichols, belonging to Barbadoes, arrived that Day from Martinico; Cargo ſaved, and hope to ſave the Veſſel.

A Sloop, ---- Newton, belonging to Barbadoes; Veſſel and Cargo ſaved.

'Tis ſaid there was alſo a fine Scooner loſt belonging to Boſton.

From Boſton by this Poſt, we have an Extract from the Votes of their preſent Aſſembly, containing the 27th Inſtruction to Governor Belcher, relating to the ſettling a Fixed Salary on the Governor for the Time being; which is too long to be inſerted this Week. It does not appear in the ſaid Extract from the Votes, that the Aſſembly have yet agreed upon fixing the Salary; but they have voted 1000 l. as a Preſent to the Governor, and 200 l. to the Capt. of the Man of War that brought him over, as a Gratification for his reſpectful Treatment of his Excellency during their Paſſage.

There were but ſix Perſons ſick of the Small-pox in the Town of Boſton, on *Sept.* 16.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Philadelphia, Entred inwards.

Ship Deborah and Mary, George Lee, from Barbadoes.
Brigt. Anne & Elizabeth, Tho. Mountford, from Antigua.
Sloop Endeavour, Richard Robinſon, from New-York.
Two Brothers, George Gibbs, from Bermuda.
Scooner Chriſtiana, John Bird, from New-London.

Entred outwards. Ship Mary, James Benn, for Glaſgow.
Brigt. Willing Mind, John Harlow, for Boſton.
Sloop Mally, William Meriot, for Annapolis.
------ Doubtful, Thomas Williams, for Antigua.
------ Swallow, Nicholas Roach, Cape Fear.
------ Frances, Benjamin Butterfield, for Bermuda.
Scooner Chriſtiana, Robert Trail, for Boſton.
------ Judith and Rebecca, John Clark, for New-York.

Cleared Snow Brunſwick, Edw. M'Cormick, to Glaſgow.
Sloop Tace, Benjamin Hoskins, to South Carolina.
Mally, William Merriot, to Annapolis.

Prices of the following Goods. Wheat 3 s. 4 d. Flour 11 s. Middling Bread 15 s. Mixt ditto 13 s. Brown ditto 12 s. Rum 2 s. 4 d. Meliaſſes 16 d.

Buried in the ſeveral Burying-Grounds of this City in a Week paſt.

Church - - - - - 5.	Baptiſts - - - - - - - - - - 0.		
Quakers - - - - 3.	Strangers	Whites - - - 1.	
Presbyterians - - 0.		Blacks - - - 0.	

Advertiſements.

To be Lett to FREIGHT

THE Brigt. *Anne* and *Elizabeth*, *John Searle* Maſter, Burthen between Fifty and Sixty Tons. Enquire for the ſaid *Searle* at the Houſe of *Benjamin Morgan* in *King-ſtreet*.

RUN away on the 13th of *September* laſt from *Abraham Lincoln* of *Springfield* in the County of *Cheſter*, a Negro Man named *Jack*, about 30 Years of Age, low Stature, ſpeaks little or no *Engliſh*, has a Scar by the Corner of one Eye, in the Form of a V, his Teeth notched, and the Top of one of his Fore Teeth broke: He had on when he went away an old Hat, a grey Jacket partly like a Sailor's Jacket. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Negro, and brings him to his Maſter, or to *Mordecai Lincoln* living among the Upper Inhabitants on *Skuylkill*, or to *William Branſon* in *Philadelphia*, ſhall have *Twenty Shillings* Reward and reaſonable Charges.

STOLEN from on board the *London Hope* on *Saturday* laſt, a young Spaniel Dog, about five Months old; white with brown Spots, with long ſhag'd Ears redder than his Spots, daub'd with Pitch, lame in one of his hind Legs. Whoever will give Notice of the ſaid Dog on board the ſaid Ship, or to the Printer hereof, ſo it may be known who took him, ſhall have *Five Shillings* Reward, paid by *William Traunter* on board the ſaid Ship.

STRAYED away the 29th of *March* laſt, from *Robert Jones*'s Mill at *Whitemarſh* in *Philadelphia* County, a dark brown Mare, branded on the near Buttock with a ſmall Heart, the Hair trim'd round the End of the Tail, never dock'd, ſhod before. Whoever ſecures and brings the ſaid Mare to the aboveſaid Mill, ſhall have *Thirty Shillings* Reward, and reaſonable Charges paid, by

Evan Price.

WHEREAS laſt Night the Cuſtom-Houſe Boat, lying at Vining's Wharff, had her Bulk Head of her Fore-caſtle tore off, and her Cieling broke to Pieces: Whoever will diſcover the Perſon or Perſons that did the ſame, ſo that they may be convicted thereof, ſhall have *Five Pounds* Reward paid by

Sept. 17. *JOHN MOORE*, Coll.

VERY good Live-Geeſe Feathers, to be ſold at *Evan Powell*'s in *Cheſnut-ſtreet*, next Door but one to *A. Hamilton*, Eſq;

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POSTSCRIPT.

This Day being the anniverſary Election in this Province, the following Gentlemen were choſen to repreſent *Philadelphia County* in Aſſembly for the enſuing Year.

Jonathan Robeſon ---- 622		*John Cadwalader* -- 456	
William Monington --- 468		*William Allen* ---- 403	
Thomas Leech ------ 465		*David Potts* ---- 393	
Job Goodſon ------- 458		*John White* ------ 365	

The following Gentlemen were choſen Sheriffs and Coroners for this County.

Sher.	*Charles Read* 601	Cor.	*Owen Owen* 600
	Nicholas Scull 601		*John Roberts* 600

The Names of the *Commiſſioner* and *Aſſeſſors* will be in our next.

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